

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 15, 2000**

CRIM	THE PEOPLE	Not for publication
No.	v.	
G025319	HERIBERTO MATA TAPIA	

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Crosby, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
O'Leary, J.

CRIM	THE PEOPLE	Not for publication
No.	v.	
G024105	FRANK GONZALES EIRAS III	

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed as modified.

By the Court

Before: Sills, P.J., Crosby, J., and O'Leary, J.

CRIM	In re FIDEL TORRES	Not for publication
No.	on Habeas Corpus	
G027197		

Opinion filed. Writ granted.

Sills, P.J.

We concur: Crosby, J.  
O'Leary, J.

CIVIL	CAMILE WAGONER	Not for publication
No.	v.	
G025323	KNOTT'S BERRY FARM	

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

By the Court

Before: Sills, P.J., Bedsworth, J., and O'Leary, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 15, 2000 (Cont'd)**

CIVIL	DAVID DIVITA	Not for publication
No.	v.	
G021226	LESSIE DIVITA	

Order modifying opinion; No change in judgment.  
Sills, P.J.

We concur: Rylaarsdam, J.  
Bedsworth, J.

CIVIL	MARSHALL P. GAVIN et al	Not for publication
No.	v.	
G021306	SADDLEBACK MEMORIAL MEDICAL GROUP, INC., et al.	

Order modifying opinion. No change in Judgment.

CRIM	THE PEOPLE	Not for publication
No.	v.	
G025249	TUAN PHUONG NUGYEN	

Order denying petition for rehearing filed.  
Bedsworth, J.

We concur: Crosby, Acting P.J.  
Rylaarsdam, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 15, 2000 (Cont'd)**

Court convened at 1:30 p.m. in the courtroom located at 925 N. Spurgeon Street, Santa Ana, California 92701. Panel members are Sills, P.J., Crosby, J., and O'Leary, J. M. Urena, Deputy Clerk attending.

CRIM	THE PEOPLE
No.	v.
G024624	ALAN THOMAS RIGBY

Merits. Cause called. Fay Arfa argues for appellant. Melissa Mandel, Deputy Attorney General argues for respondent. Cause submitted.

CRIM	THE PEOPLE
No.	v.
G025722	MANUEL GODINES MACIAS

Merits. Cause called. Richard L. Schwartzberg argues for appellant. Lise Simmons, Deputy Attorney General argues for respondent. Cause submitted.

CRIM	THE PEOPLE
No.	v.
G020918	LARRY WILLIAMS

Merits. Cause called. Alisa A. Shorago argues for appellant. Adrianne Denault, Deputy Attorney General argues for respondent. Cause submitted.

CRIM	THE PEOPLE
No.	v.
G025069	MANUEL HENRY REYES
G026061	

Merits. Cause called. Jean Ballantine argues for appellant. Melissa Mandel, Deputy Attorney General argues for respondent. Cause submitted.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 15, 2000 (Cont'd)**

CRIM	THE PEOPLE
No.	v.
G025263	MANUEL RONNIE ARREDONDO

Merits. Cause called. Neil F. Auwarter argues for appellant. Angela Rosenau, Deputy Attorney General argues for respondent. Cause submitted.

CRIM	THE PEOPLE
No.	v.
G024061	PAUL ALLEYNE

Merits. Cause called. Dennis A. Fischer argues for appellant. Warren Robinson, Deputy Attorney General argues for respondent. Cause submitted.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 16, 2000**

Court re-convened at 9:30 a.m. in the courtroom located at 925 N. Spurgeon Street, Santa Ana, California 92701. Panel members are Sills, P.J., Crosby, J., and O'Leary, J. M. Urena, Deputy Clerk attending.

CIVIL            GARDEN GROVE AGENCY FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMT  
No.               v.  
G023603        DIONISIE GOIA et al.

Merits. Cause called. Douglas J. Evertz argues for appellant. Rick E. Rayl argues for respondents. Cause submitted.

CIVIL            K. RONALD LEEPER  
No.               v.  
G021142        HOWARD R. ZAHN

Merits. Cause called. Tamara D. DeHaan argues for appellants. K. Ronald Leeper argues on his own behalf. Cause submitted.

CIVIL            EDWARD CHARLES TILDEN  
No.               v.  
G021913        CALIFORNIA CORRIDOR CONSTRUCTORS et al.

Merits. Cause called. Robert F. Zwierlein argues for appellant. Roy G. Weatherup argues for respondent California Corridor Constructors. Robert A. Cardwell argues for respondent Mission Viejo Company. Cause submitted.

CIVIL            GAB BUSINESS SERVICES, INC.  
No.               v.  
G021350        LINDSEY & NEWSOM CLAIM SERVICES INC.

Merits. Cause called. Barbara W. Ravitz argues for appellant. Charles O'Reilly argues for respondent C. Randall Neal. Thomas B. Cummings argues for respondent Lindsey & Newsom Claim Services Inc. Cause submitted.

Court declared a recess.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 16, 2000 (Cont'd)**

Court re-convened at 1:30 p.m. in the courtroom located at 925 N. Spurgeon Street, Santa Ana, California 92701. Panel members are Sills, P.J., Crosby, J., and O'Leary, J. M. Urena, Deputy Clerk attending.

CIVIL            BARBARA J. ATKINSON  
No.                v.  
G025552        ORANGE COUNTY PUBLIC GUARDIAN  
G025952

Merits. Cause called. Appellant Barbara J. Atkinson argues on her own behalf. Howard Serbin, Deputy County Counsel argues for respondent. Cause submitted.

CIVIL            ELBA FREEMAN  
No.                v.  
G019831        DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

Merits. Cause called. Meir J. Westreich argues for appellant. Barbara Ferguson argues for respondent. Respondent to file a supplemental letter brief by May 26, 2000. Cause to be submitted on May 26, 2000.

CIVIL            SCOTT McFETTERS  
No.                v.  
G021374        AMPLICON, INC.

Merits. Cause called. M. Christine Brady argues for appellant. Linda Schilling argues for respondents. Cause submitted.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 16, 2000 (Cont'd)**

CIVIL            MARIA VIVANCO  
No.                v.  
G020501        RHEEM MANUFACTURING CO.  
G021102

Merits. Cause called. Brian Unitt argues for appellant. Michael F. Long argues for respondent Raypak, Inc. William J. King for respondent Rheem Manufacturing Co. joins in the argument. Kathleen T. Saenz for respondent Honeywell, Inc. joins in the argument. John J. Collins for respondents David Carlson, Continental Energy Systems, and Debin Enterprises, Inc. joins in the argument. Irving R. Halpern for respondents Assicurazioni Generali, Lexington Ins. Co., and Lloyds of London joins in the argument. No appearance by counsel David M. Frishman for respondent Toplis and Harding Inc. Pursuant to telephone conversation with secretary, counsel did not have case calendared and waives oral argument. No appearance by counsel Christopher Wesierski for respondent El Torito Restaurants Inc. Pursuant to telephone conversation with secretary, respondents are out of the case. Cause submitted.

CIVIL            LESLEE R. CROUCH  
No.                v.  
G024872        DAVID R. CROUCH

Merits. Cause called. Appellant David R. Crouch argues on his own behalf. No appearance by respondent Leslee R. Crouch. Cause submitted.

Court declared a recess.

CRIM            THE PEOPLE  
No.                v.  
G024660        JOSEPH MICHAEL ADAMS

Not for publication

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Crosby, Acting P.J.  
Bedsworth, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 16, 2000 (Cont'd)**

CIVIL	ORANGE COUNTY SOCIAL	Not for publication
	SERVICES AGENCY	
No.	v.	
G025770	JUAN M. et al.	

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Crosby, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.

Bedsworth, J.



**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 17, 2000**

CIVIL	ORANGE COUNTY SOCIAL	Not for publication
	SERVICES AGENCY	
No.	v.	
G026311	MELINDA M. et al.	

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Crosby, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.

Bedsworth, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 18, 2000**

CIVIL No. G022344	TRIDER CORPORATION et al. v. RON SCHEINMANN et al.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Crosby, Acting P.J.  
Bedsworth, J.

CIVIL No. G022442	ASHLEA RAE MARTINEZ, a Minor etc. v. CONSTANCE K. WIGOD	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Crosby, Acting P.J.  
Bedsworth, J.

CRIM No. G022772	THE PEOPLE v. ESTEBAN GARCIA RODRIGUEZ	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Bedsworth, J.

CRIM No. G023244	THE PEOPLE v. CHRISTOPHER LARRY VALDEZ	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Bedsworth, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Crosby, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 18, 2000 (Cont'd)**

CIVIL            BARBARA J. ATKINSON, as executrix, etc.,    Not for publication  
No.                v.  
G025552        ORANGE COUNTY PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR  
G025952

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Crosby, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
                  O'Leary, J.

CIVIL            PAUL WALTERS et al.                                Certified for publication  
No.                v.  
G026062        The Superior Court of California, County of Orange;  
                  Mario Ubina et al.

Opinion filed. Writ granted.

Crosby, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
                  O'Leary, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 19, 2000**

CIVIL No. G020501 G021102	KARLA RIVERA, a minor, etc. v. RHEEM MANUFACTURING et al.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

O’Leary, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Crosby, J.

CIVIL No. G021142	K. RONALD LEEPER, as Trustee, etc. v. HOWARD R. ZAHN et al.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

O’Leary, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Crosby, J.

CRIM No. G024947	THE PEOPLE v. LISA LOUISE HORN	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Crosby, J.

CIVIL No. G025812	MARK PERRY v. BRIAN DAVID ADSETT et al.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment reversed and remanded with directions.

By the Court

Before Sills, P.J., Crosby, J., and O’Leary, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 19, 2000 (Cont'd)**

CIVIL No. G025848	JACK GRAHAM v. SOUTH ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

By the Court

Before Sills, P.J., Crosby, J., and O'Leary, J.

CIVIL No. G026156 G026489	MICHAEL MEBANE v. CITY OF PLACENTIA et al.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
O'Leary, J.

CIVIL No. G026277 G026282	ORANGE COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICES AGENCY v. CHRISTY U. et al.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
O'Leary, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 22, 2000**

CRIM	THE PEOPLE	Not for publication
No.	v.	
G022831	JORGE JOSE AVINA	

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Sills, P.J.

We concur: Crosby, J.  
Bedsworth, J.

CRIM	THE PEOPLE	Not for publication
No.	v.	
G024069	SAMI IBRAHIM MUDAWAR	

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Bedsworth, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Crosby, J.

CRIM	THE PEOPLE	Not for publication
No.	v.	
G025443	MICHAEL JOHNSON	

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Sills, P.J.

We concur: Crosby, J.  
Bedsworth, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 23, 2000**

CIVIL            ORANGE COUNTY SOCIAL  
                     SERVICES AGENCY

No.                v.  
G026962        DAWN M.  
G027221

Appellant's motion to consolidate appeals numbered G026962 and G027221 is granted.

CIVIL            RICHARD CARRILLO

Not for publication

No.                v.  
G022902        STEVEN GOURLEY, as Director, etc.

Opinion filed. Judgment reversed.

By the Court

Before Sills, P.J., Crosby, J., and Bedsworth, J.

CIVIL            EDWARD CHARLES TILDEN

Not for publication

No.                v.  
G021913        CALIFORNIA CORRIDOR CONSTRUCTORS et al.

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Sills, P.J.

We concur: Crosby, J.  
                  O'Leary, J.

CRIM            THE PEOPLE

Not for publication

No.                v.  
G024579        HERIBERTO RIOS ROJAS

Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
                  Bedsworth, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 24, 1999**

CRIM No. G024226	THE PEOPLE v. TONY RODIRGUEZ VARELAS	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Sills, P.J.

We concur: Crosby, J.  
Bedsworth, J.

CIVIL No. G026357	ORANGE COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICES AGENCY v. GER K. et al.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Crosby, Acting P.J.  
Bedsworth, J.

CIVIL No. G024786	ORANGE COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICES AGENCY v. RONALD T.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Bedsworth, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Crosby, J.

CIVIL No. G021357	GEOFFREY N. LACHNER v. HAROLD KAUFMAN	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment reversed and remanded.

O'Leary, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Bedsworth, J.



**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 24, 1999 (Cont'd)**

CIVIL No. G026822	AMERICAN CAISSON, INC. v. THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE; KAREN TUNILA et al.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Writ granted.

Crosby, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Bedsworth, J.

CIVIL No. G025228	JOSHUA WALKER, as Special Administrator, etc., v. MYRA WALKER	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

By the Court

Before: Crosby, Acting P.J., Bedsworth, J., and O'Leary, J.

CIVIL No. G021310	CHARLES G. MILDEN v. LEO B. NEWTON	Not for publication
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The petition for rehearing is denied.

Sills, P.J.

We concur: Crosby, J.  
Rylaarsdam, J.

CRIM No. G024131	THE PEOPLE v. ROGER REGINALD GUZMAN	Certified for publication
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Order granting request for publication

Bedsworth, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Rylaarsdam, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 24, 1999 (Cont'd)**

CRIM  
No.  
G024131

THE PEOPLE  
v.  
ROGER REGINALD GUZMAN

Certified for publication

The petition for rehearing is denied.

Bedsworth, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Rylaarsdam, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 25, 1999**

CIVIL No. G023967	RONALD LEE RICHARDS v. STEVEN GOURLEY, as director, etc.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment reversed.

Sills, P.J.

We concur: Crosby, J.  
Bedsworth, J.

CRIM No. G023015	THE PEOPLE v. NICOLAS MARQUEZ ESTEBAN	Not for publication
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Order modifying opinion and denial of petition  
for rehearing; No change in Judgment.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
Crosby, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 26, 1999**

CRIM No. G023289	THE PEOPLE v. FREDDY LOPEZ	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Crosby, Acting P.J.  
Bedsworth, J.

CRIM No. G024332	THE PEOPLE v. DAVID MICHAEL TRAVERS	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Crosby, Acting P.J.  
O'Leary, J.

CRIM No. G024236	THE PEOPLE v. GERARDO GUZMAN	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Rylaarsdam, J.

We concur: Crosby, Acting P.J.  
O'Leary, J.

CRIM No. G024624	THE PEOPLE v. ALAN THOMAS RIGBY	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Crosby, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
O'Leary, J.

**State of California, Court of Appeal  
Fourth Appellate District, Division 3  
May 26, 1999 (Cont'd)**

CIVIL No. G025489	BENJAMIN T. et al v. RITA M.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Bedsworth, J.

We concur: Crosby, Acting P.J.  
Rylaarsdam, J.

CIVIL No. G025966	ORANGE COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICES AGENCY v. HERLINDO M. et al.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Crosby, J.

We concur: Sills, P.J.  
O'Leary, J.

CIVIL No. G023852	THOMAS H. WILSON, as Co-Trustee, etc., et al. v. ZACHARY T. PEDICINI et al.	Not for publication
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Opinion filed. Judgment affirmed.

Sills, P.J.

I concur: Rylaarsdam, J.  
I dissent: Crosby, J.